

As I sit to write this, I am reflecting on the past year, actually the past 13 years of our shop! It's been an incredible ride through the years.

When we started **Going to Pieces Quilt Co**, we had 1400 bolts of fabric and a 3400 square foot shop with a back classroom. We expanded with our sales, buying more and more fabric, sewing more samples and finally adding more square footage for a new classroom and batik room during the covid years.

Now in 2023 we expanded once again, taking on another 800 square feet of space and turned the space into our holiday, fall and children's fabric room.

In the end, we now have nearly 6000 square feet of space and over 5000 bolts of fabric. The growth has been tremendous to say the least. Our classroom had a remodel with new flooring and is a beautiful space for our sewers, knitters, and embroiderers.

We continue to grow our customer base and enjoy all our "regulars" and travelers. The support we have received from the community is so gratifying, we find it hard to put into words how much we appreciate all of you!

We have what we feel is the best staff anyone could ask for, all with special knowledge of sewing and quilting. From bags, to quilts, to applique and more, we have someone to answer your questions.

We have a wonderful partnership with **The Quilting Connection** right next door and share customers. They too have grown in the two years they've been next door which is so awesome! The "connection" between our shops is very special!

As the year comes to a close we reflect on the friends we've lost in the quilting community but also reflect on the new friends we've made.

Now as the year 2023 closes and 2024 opens, we want to wish you all the happiest of holidays. Enjoy your time with family and friends. Join us in the new year for classes and events or just to catch up while stopping in. We so very much enjoy our time with all of you!

THIS IS GOING TO BE A GOLD STAR YEAR! Stay tuned for more!

Mary & Joanne

YOUR INSPIRATION DESTINATION QUILT SHOP

Over 5000 bolts
of traditional
to bright fabrics!
Over 2000 patterns!
More notions every day!
Classes!
Ideas!
300+ Samples!

SHOP HOURS

12-3:00 Sunday (Oct-Apr) Sunday (May-Sept) Closed Monday 9:00-5:30 Tuesday 9:00-5:30 Wednesday 9:00-5:30 Thursday 9:00-5:30 Friday 9:00-5:30 9:00-3:00 Saturday

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Symphony

Banyan Batiks By Northcott 66 X 78

We are very excited to bring this fun kit to you! This quilt is suitable for all skill levels, from beginner to the experienced quilter. The techniques used to create the blocks allow for easy and quick construction – you will not be bored!

We are offering this soft, neutral colorway which works well in all homes. The size is just right to either hang on the wall, lay over a sofa or on the lap of a loved one!

Kits will be available in February. You are welcome to come on in and sew together on this stunning quilt on the 2nd Monday of the month from 10-4:00 pm, beginning in February.







SIMPLE WHATNOTS CLUB - Collection 13

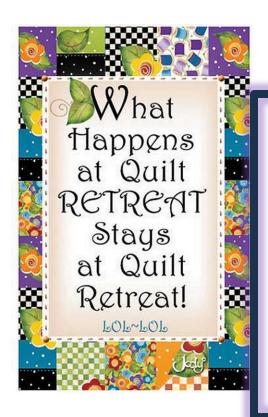
GTP is pleased to announce our participation in the THIRTEENTH collection of the Simple Whatnots Club by the talented Kim Diehl. These petite projects (typically 40" square or less) are colorful and fun, using Kim's own fabric lines. This begins on February 1, 2024.

We are handling this club a little differently this year.

- You can have ALL the fabric and 8 patterns for a 15% discount or . . .
- You can have two shipments, each containing half the fabric and 4 patterns for a 10% discount. First shipment is February 1, second shipment will be 3 months later, or May 1.

No individual kids will be cut this year. You must take all 8 kits.





Quilt Retreats!

February 23, 24, 25 March 22, 23, 24

Spend THREE days in our NEW CLASSROOM ADDITION, sewing and laughing, as you begin a new project or finish an old one. Our retreats have been popular and fill up fast.

Each night you will go home to your own bed and much needed rest. Each morning you will return to keep on sewing. No interruptions! Your only worry? What project to work on!

\$60.00, a dish to pass and snack to share, please.

Friday **9-9:00** Saturday **8-9:00** Sunday **8-2:00**

Snowman Dash 2024

Pick up a stamp card at any of the shops listed to the right to take part in this quick and fun dash!

Your stamp card will include addresses, phone numbers and directions of all the shops for your convenience.

Snowman patterns will be available at each shop.

Have your card stamped at each shop visited and simply leave it at the last shop you visit. Your name will then be included in the drawings for gift cards from all six shops!!



Piecemakers Sampler - 86 x 95 Block of the Month



We are excited to announce a new BLOCK OF THE MONTH from Marcus Fabrics which will begin in February, 2024. Pam Buda s new BOM celebrates the lasting appeal of the Sampler style quilt, with her new collection of the same name, PIECEMAKERS SAMPLER. The rich color palette is as varied as the blocks they create...

Pam explains, We may not all be quilters but we are all Piecemakers. There are thousands of blocks, and variations, and through our quilting life, we all have our favorites. Piecing blocks is like putting a puzzle together, and conquering blocks we deem challenging is a thrill. That's how we grow creatively. This quilt, with its gorgeous slate blue print background, has a myriad of sampler blocks to put together. They shine like jewels against the blue background. Perhaps a few blocks will soon become your new favorites? If you're a Piecemaker, this quilt is for you! **Sign up now!**



New to our shop! Batik Textiles is hosting Trunk Shows at our shop which began in December. They supply the samples (gorgeous batiks) and kits are available!!

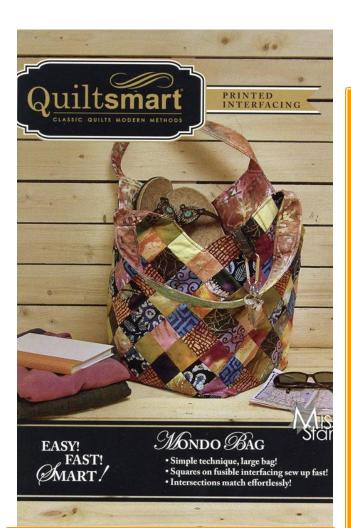












Mondo or Mini Mondo Bag Class

Wednesdays, Feb 7 & 21 10-1:00 pm This is a two day class.

These bags are really fun to make. You can choose the size you want:

Mini Mondo Bag – 8" X 12" or Mondo Bag – 10" X 15"

Join Joanne and learn how the Quiltsmart system of piecing makes a perfect bag, every single time! The intersections match up perfectly. You will want to make several (great gifts!!).

Class \$25



Beginning Free Motion Quilting Class

TWO separate classes:

Daytime: Wed, January 24 10-2:00 pm Evening: Wed, April 10 4-8:00 pm

Free Motion Quilting! This a skill that takes lots of practice but it finishes your quilt and holds it all together. Aside from the practical side, it can also enhance your beautiful quilt,

tablerunner, etc.

Join Joanne and learn free motion quilting techniques. In class you will be given a practice panel (on right) with batting and backing.
This skill is a must for all quilters!
Supply list given upon sign up.





Beginning Fusible Machine Applique

Wednesday, February 28 5-8:00 pm

It's "Bunny Time" - well almost!! Joanne will be teaching a beginning fusible machine applique class with Easter vibes!

Join her and make an adorable towel with a bunny and eggs, just in time to adorn your kitchen or bath.

Kit will be provided.

Class \$35



Marsha's Monthly Bag Class!

AUNTIES TWO KATAHDIN TOTE



FEBRUARY / MARCH Katahdin Tote

Saturdays, February 17 & March 9 9:30 – 2:30 This is a two day class.

Choose a favorite 2 1/2" strip roll to create this zipper top bag with four inside pockets. Structural stays help to keep its shape. Pattern has easy-to-follow directions and 2 pre-bent stays.

Join Marsha and make this great daily carrier or travel bag. Make sure to check out her awesome sample in the shop. Marsha has been dubbed, "Tote Queen of GTP", because of her excellent work, color choices, and classes!

Finished size: 16" wide x 8" deep x 13"
You will receive a class supply list at registration.

Class: \$45.00

Textured Landscape "Painting" with Fabric

"Birches & Evergreens"

Saturday, March 2 – 9:00 am until 5:00 pm

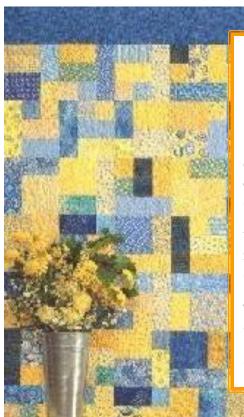
Join Kathy Keene and learn how to create a beautiful landscape "painting" using a variety of fabrics. No sewing is involved. Your finished product will look like a watercolor painting! This class features a gorgeous winter scene called "Birches & Evergreens". Kathy's beautiful sample is at the shop. Stop in and see what you, too, can create!

Class size is limited to 10.

Class is \$115

(kit is provided)





Yellow Brick Road Class

FOUR Wednesday evenings from 5:00 until 8:00 pm March 6, 13, 20, and 27



A great quilting class for beginners!

Grab a handful of fat quarters and you're on the road to a fun quilt! Each and every "Yellow Brick Road" quilt looks like a different pattern was used. It's amazing!

Don't know what a fat quarter is? Haven't learned the correct way of squaring, measuring, cutting, piecing, and pressing your fabric? Learn these techniques and more from Mary in this beginner class!

This is a very popular class that fills up fast. Please call or stop in early to secure a spot!

Class: \$50.00





Mixed Emotions

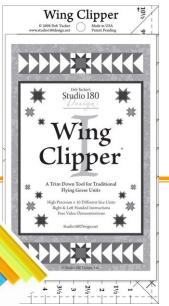
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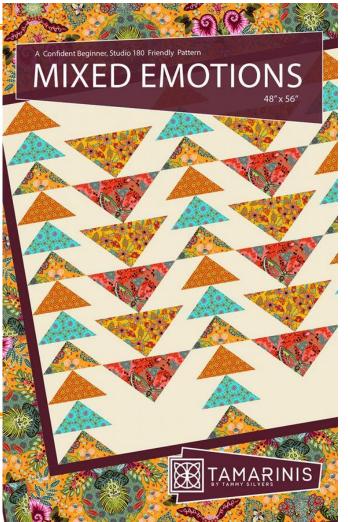
Do you avoid patterns with flying geese because you can't get them perfect? Avoid flying geese no more after joining Mary and making the Mixed Emotions quilt in her class. This is a two night class to master flying geese using the Wing Clipper Ruler by Deb Tucker.

Required: Wing Clipper Ruler

Pattern Magic Wand

Class: \$25.00





CIRLS GOLF WIST BACCAMI WINGLES WINGLE

Sample of a block quilt using sashing.

Wool Hand Applique Class

Thursdays, February 1 & 15 5-8:00 pm

If you have never worked with gorgeous wool and hand stitching, this class is for you. If you need some refreshing or just want to join in the fun, this class is for you, as well.

In this 2 evening class, you will learn how to hand applique on wool with Kim. You will be making this beautiful 9" x 17" mat called "Jack Frost" by Granny's Legacy, a beautiful addition to any décor! Kim will teach you several different stitches as you complete this wonderful piece.

Hand Applique is a great craft to learn. It's portable! Take it on a road trip, to the lake, watching TV, as you keep your hands busy!

Kit is \$31.95 Class: \$20.00

T-Shirt Quilt Class

Monday, April 1 – 5:00-8:00 pm Saturday, April 6 – 9:30-2:30 pm

It's time to clean out the drawers and closets! Find all the t-shirts that you or a family member cannot part with but will never wear again and turn them into a *T-Shirt Quilt*! We will be doing a block quilt. This fun class, taught by Lisa, will teach you the basics of making a t-shirt quilt. And just in time for a holiday gift!

PLEASE DO NOT CUT T-SHIRTS BEFORE CLASS.

<u>For the first class</u>, leave your sewing machine at home. Bring your t-shirts, cutting tools, and interfacing. (Not sure what interfacing you should use? Stop in at the shop and one of the gals can help you. You can also take care of this the night of class.) You will be going home from the first class with homework.

<u>For the second class</u>, we will watch the magic happen. You will arrange your squares and sew your top together. You'll now be ready for backing and quilting!!

Class: \$40.00



Fancy Folded Star Trivets Class

Saturday, March 16 9:30-2:30 pm

Treat yourself to a pretty folded star potholder. This project is excellent for using up fabrics from your stash, and it's really fun to make. If you've never tried this folding technique before, you're in for a treat. The finished product is terrific and makes a great addition to any kitchen. It's also an excellent gift for anyone who loves to cook or just loves pretty things in their kitchen. Join Sue for this fun class!

This is a "confident beginner" class.

Class: \$40 (includes kit)

MARY'S RULER TUTORIALS

This is NEW!

Mary has begun a series of QUILTING RULER

DEMONSTRATIONS on Facebook Simply "LIKE" our
Facebook page and you will receive these tutorials.

The purpose of this series is to show you the rulers we prefer at the shop, as well as, help you decide which rulers you would like to help you in the art of quilting before making a purchase. She will explain what the ruler is used for and will then demonstrate how to use. She just finished the fucker Trimmer I and will be doing the Wing Clipper and Stripology rulers soon!

We hope you find these tutorials useful and we welcome any feedback. Keep on Quilting!!

All Things Binding Class

Wednesday, April 3 4-8:00 pm

Learn 2 techniques for binding your quilt or wall hanging. The traditional method will be taught using "The Binding Tool". A quick lesson on hand stitching this binding down will also be demonstrated.

Then we will use this traditional method, make a few changes, and our binding will have a flange with no hand sewing required. Join Sue and start finishing those quilted pieces.

Class: \$25 (kits will be provided)



Tulip Bells Table Runner Class

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 10-1:30 pm

Dimensional curved piecing without sewing curves! Join Joanne to learn this unique technique! You may choose your own fabrics or a kit will be available. By the end of January, you'll be ready to tackle a spring project!!

Class: \$20



Honey & Lavender

New Fabrics







We received the **NEW**Northcott Stonehenge
Gradatons
by Linda Ludovico.

The colors are so vibrant and glorious, from pastels to darks and brights to muted.



Collection for a Cause: Etching

UFO CLUB

Tackle that quilting bucket list! This club meets the first Tues of the month. A \$5 membership fee gets you started.

Each month, members hand in a list of projects they hope to accomplish. Completed projects are brought in the next month for show and tell. If you didn't finish, you pay \$5 per unfinished project to the kitty. All money in the kitty will be turned into gift cards to be given to winners drawn at the Oct meeting. JOIN US!!

January 2 February 6 March 5



9:00 until 4:30 pm

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THIMIBLE THURSDAY

Grab your hand projects ... then head on over for a day of sewing, friendship and LOTS of laughs! You never know what tips you are going to pick up and what projects you just may complete.



This is a popular event with embroidery and handwork groups, so come see what all the excitement is about! The ladies are at the shop from noon until 4:00 every Thursday.



~ Masks are not required; however, if you are unvaccinated or autoimmune compromised, we urge you to wear a mask.

~ If you are feeling under the weather, please stay home.

SR QUILTERS (60+ yes)

WHAT'S GREAT ABOUT BEING OVER 60?? First Monday of the month – Receive double punches for your purchase of regularly priced merchandise!!

RED BAG SATURDAY

On the third Saturday of each month, it's "Red Bag Saturday" at our shop. On these Saturdays, surprise discounts will be announced. If you have a GOING TO PIECES REUSABLE RED BAG

you are eligible for the discount!
Get yours today! \$3.95

CLASS POLICIES:

All classes must be paid for at the time of sign up.

Should you decide to cancel before the class, you will receive an in-store credit. If the class is cancelled due to low attendance, you will receive your choice of either an in-store credit or full refund.

We try to never cancel a class but sometimes this is beyond our control. *Thank you for your understanding!*

Great Portable, Reliable Sewing Machines!

Baby Lock Jubilant

Want a machine that's a jack-of-all trades yet small enough to take on the road, to a class or even to a friend's house? Then it's time to celebrate, because you found it. The **BABY LOCK JUBILANT** sewing machine is ideal for a variety of sewing projects like quilt piecing, smaller home décor and even basic garments. It's a machine that gives you plenty of genuine opportunities to let your creativity shine and be jubilant! Top features include:

80 built-in stitches * Automatic needle threader * LCS screen * Quick-set, drop in bobbin * Free-arm sewing * Drop feed for free motion techniques

\$599.99

(Can be serviced at KK Sew & Vac, located in Darboy and Depere)



Sparrow by Ever Sewn

We have had this machine, <u>SPARROW by EVER SEWN</u> <u>30S</u>, in the shop for quite some time and have found it to be a reliable little work horse which is quiet, precise, easy to operate, light to carry.

Features include:

- * Thread cutter button
- * Many decorative stitches including numbers & script
- * Needle up/down position
- * Auto lock button
- * Mirror image button
- * Speed limiting adjustment

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- * Memory button
- * Stitch length & width adjustment
- * LCD screen

\$499.99



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